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**UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
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(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

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Attorney Docket No.		3517.1
First Inventor or Application Identifier		Paul M. Jessop; Alma A. Timpson; Tracy L. Jessop
Title	PIPETTE TIP PACKAGING AND TRANSFER SYSTEM	
Express Mail Label No.		EL206385962US

**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP Chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

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1.  Fee Transmittal Form  
*(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)*

2.  Specification Total Pages

12

- Descriptive title of the invention
- Cross References to related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed Sponsored R&D
- Reference to Microfiche Appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (*if filed*)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

3.  Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) Total Sheets

5

4. Oath or Declaration Total Pages

2

- a.  Newly executed (original or copy)
- b.  Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))

*(For continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)  
(Note Box 5 below)*

i.  **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**

Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

5.  Incorporation By Reference (*useable if Box 4b is checked*)  
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

6.  Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
7.  Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
*(if applicable, all necessary)*
  - a.  Computer Readable Copy
  - b.  Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
  - c.  Statement verifying identity of above copies

**ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**

8.  Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
9.  37CFR 3.73(b) Statement  Power of Attorney  
*(when there is an assignee)*
10.  English Translation Document (*if applicable*)
11.  Information Disclosure  Copies of IDS Statement (IDS/PTO-1449) Citations
12.  Preliminary Amendment
13.  Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
14.  Small Entity  Statement filed in prior application, Statement(s) Status still proper and desired
15.  Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
*(If foreign priority is claimed)*
16.  Other: .....

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Continuation     Divisional     Continuation-in-part (CIP)    of prior Application No. /  
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Application Number	
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## 1. BASIC FILING FEE

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101	790	201	395	Utility filing fee	395.00
106	330	206	165	Design filing fee	
107	540	207	270	Plant filing fee	
108	790	208	395	Reissue filing fee	
114	150	214	75	Provisional filing fee	
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Multiple Dependent				=

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Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description			
103	22	203	11	Claims in excess of 20	
102	82	202	41	Independent claims in excess of 3	
104	270	204	135	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
109	82	209	41	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
110	22	210	11	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
				SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)	-0-

## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

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105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	400	216	200	Extension for reply within second month	
117	950	217	475	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,510	218	755	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	2,060	228	1,030	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	
120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,320	241	660	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,320	242	660	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	450	243	225	Design issue fee	
144	670	244	335	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	240	126	240	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	790	246	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
149	790	249	395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	

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